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LETTER FROM FAUQUIER.

(Correspondence Alexandria Gazette.)

PARIS, Va., Jan. 7.—The monotony of Paris was broken on the night of the 31st of December, 1897, by a very pretty entertainment given at the M. E. Church South. The principal piece of the evening was a cantata entitled, "Santa Claus and his Fairies." The ladies are good soldiers, and deserve a great deal of credit, for they were opposed on every side, but they turned a deaf ear to the slights and insults, and it was quite a success. Notwithstanding the cold blast which the church was crowded, The most humorous feature was when the organist and her best "feller" walked up the aisle, some of the audience forgot to take their smelling salts and came very near keeling over, but they will get over that before the protracted meeting closes in the fall. The gossips may talk about the courting crowd, and make themselves as disagreeable as they can, but they cannot say it was a failure. We hope to meet old Santa and his reindeer again if not before, on the 31st of December, 1898.

SORRY HE WENT THERE.—A dispatch from Indianapolis says: Admiral Brown's son, a boy of 19, and Charlotte Thomas, the daughter of Arthur C. Thomas, paymaster of the Lake Erie and Western Railroad, were having a childish frolic on Sunday last on Woodruff place and young Brown put some snow down the back of Thomas's daughter. The girl's father happened to pass and separated them with some force, telling Brown to go home and learn better manners.

Admiral Brown believed that the separation was accomplished with more force than necessary and filed an action for assault against Thomas, who was fined in court Thursday morning. Thomas has come back at the admiral with an action for assault against his son, and the case will be heard to-day.

When the admiral was recently retired by the government he said he was "going to Indianapolis, the prettiest city in the world, to live," and placards have recently been hung in the street cars of the city, setting out "admiral's words in big type."

The constable who served the warrant on young Brown says that the admiral's wife remarked at the time: "We are sorry that we came to Indianapolis to live among such trash."

The Greatest Discovery Yet.

W. M. Reppine, editor Tiskilwa, 11, "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc." It is idle to experiment with other remedies, even if they are urged on you as just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery. They are not as good, because this remedy has a record of cures and besides is guaranteed. It never fails to satisfy. Trial bottles free at F. L. Allen's Drug Store.

Persons who are troubled with indigestion will be interested in the experience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk in the railway mail service at Des Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For two years I have suffered from indigestion, and am subject to frequent severe attacks of pain in the stomach and bowels. One or two doses of this remedy never fails to give perfect relief. Price 25 and 50 cents; for sale by J. H. Janney, Druggist, 701 King Street.

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of testing the curative effects of Ely's Cream Balm, the most positive cure for catarrh known. Ask your druggist for a 10 cent trial size or send 10 cents, we will mail it. Full size 50 cents.

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My son was afflicted with catarrh. I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrh was all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

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Mr. Mitchell Harrison purchased Skeaddie and Dr. Tolly, half brothers to Ravensworth, for \$1,200 and \$1,000, respectively. Mr. Harrison sold Skeaddie to Boston for \$1,800.

The cross country riders find many valuable horses for their purposes here, as there are twelve large stock farms in the immediate vicinity of Warrenton devoted to raising jumpers and hunters. The celebrated mare Virginia is here in training for her New York owner. She was purchased by Mr. Benner from Mr. Keene recently.

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Lot No. 5. 4 Misses' Ribbed Vests, size 7. Price 75c. Now 50c.

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Lot No. 7. 10 Misses' 3/4 Wool Pants, sizes 6-2, 3-3, 1-5. Price 50c. Now 37 1/2c.

Lot No. 8. 4 Misses' Ribbed Vests, size 28. Price 25c. Now 15c.

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Lot No. 1. 2 Ladies' Wool Ribbed Vests, size 8. Price \$1. Now 75c.

Lot No. 2. 6 Ladies' Extra Fine Wool Vests, size 7. Price \$1. Now 75c.

Lot No. 3. 11 Ladies' Wool Pants, sizes 2-3, 3-4, 3-5, 1-6. Price 75c. Now 50c.

Lot No. 4. 10 Ladies' Ribbed Pants, sizes 5-3, 4-4, 1-5. Price 50c. Now 35c.

Lot No. 5. 9 Ladies' All Wool Pants, sizes 2-3, 4-4, 2-5, 1-6. Price \$1.25. Now 75c.

Lot No. 6. 4 Ladies' Wool Pants, sizes 2-3, 2-5. Price \$1.35. Now 75c.

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This is our last mention of a few dozen left of the Men's All Wool Packed Undershirts and Drawers at 50c. Worth \$1. We suggest an early visit on these two numbers of warm underwear.

Men's Underwear.

Lot No. 1. 4 Men's Wool Undershirts, sizes 2-4, 2-4. Price \$1.50. Now \$1.

Lot No. 2. 2 Men's Wool Undershirts, sizes 2-4, 2-4. Price \$1.50. Now \$1.

Lot No. 3. 3 Men's Wool Undershirts, sizes 3-8, 3-8. Price \$1.50. Now \$1.12 1/2.

Lot No. 4. 3 Men's Wool Undershirts, sizes 2-4, 1-4, 2. Price \$1.25. Now 75c.

Lot No. 5. 5 Camels' Hair Drawers, sizes 3-4, 2-3. Price 75c. Now 50c.

Lot No. 6. 4 Camels' Hair Undershirts, sizes 3-8, 3-8. Price \$1.25. Now 75c.

Lot No. 7. 10 Men's White Wool Mixed Undershirts, sizes 4-4, 4-4, 6-4. Price 50c. Now 35c.

Lot No. 8. 2 Men's Pure Wool Undershirts, sizes 4-2, 4-2. Price \$2.50. Now \$1.75.

Lot No. 9. 5 Men's Ribbed Drawers, sizes 4-3, 1-3, 6. Price 50c. Now 35c.

Lot No. 10. 10 Men's Natural Wool Undershirts, sizes 3-3, 3-3, 4-2. Price 50c. Now 35c.

Lot No. 11. 13 Men's Natural Color Wool Undershirts, sizes 3-3, 4-4, 6-4. Price 37 1/2c. Now 25c.

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